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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PERMANENT SUB-NETWORK
CONNECTIONS IN A COMMUNICATION NETWORK

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Title	Method and Apparatus for Permanent Sub-Network Connections in a Communication Network	
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